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For: METHODS FOR VISUALLY SEPARATING  
AN OBJECT FROM ITS BACKGROUND,  
METHODS FOR DETECTING A  
CAMOUFLAGED OBJECT AGAINST ITS  
BACKGROUND AND DETECTION  
APPARATUS EMBODYING SUCH  
METHODS

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Examiner: John B. Strege

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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

The following is in response to the Office Action mailed July 28, 2009. Applicants kindly ask that the above-identified application be amended prior to examination as set forth herein.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.